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SUBJECT: SHRIMPING OFF FRENCH GUIANA

REF: BRUSSELS 9934, PORT OF SPAIN 2512. REEM-MONKS
TELCON 9/15

1. AS RAISED IN REFTELCON DEPT. HAS CONCERNS REGARDING EC LICENSING PROCEDURES FOR SHRIMP FISHING OFF FRENCH GUIANA AS FOLLOWS:

A. WHAT WILL THE PROCEDURE BE TO RENEW LICENSES BEFORE THEY EXPIRE ON 9/30? CAN THE LICENSES BE RENEWED WITHOUT NEW APPLICATIONS, TRANS-ATLANTIC SHIPMENT OF LICENSES AND OTHER EXTENSIVE PAPERWORK?

B. WHAT IS THE INNER LIMIT OF THE AREA IN WHICH US SHRIMPERS CAN FISH UNDER LICENSES; THREE MILES, TWELVE MILES, ALL THE WAY TO THE BEACH OR SOME OTHER INSIDE LIMIT?

2. USG HAS TODAY TRANSMITTED LICENSES TO US VESSEL OWNERS. IT WILL STILL BE SOME TIME BEFORE LICENSES ARE ON BOARD AUTHORIZED VESSELS. PLEASE SEEK ASSURANCES THAT EC WILL AT LEAST IN THE NEXT FEW WEEKS NOT REQUIRE THAT VESSELS HAVE LICENSES ON BOARD.

3. DEPT IS CONCERNED BY SEIZURE OF VESSEL NATILUS (UB-223). VESSEL WAS SEIZED AUGUST 26 FOR FISHING WITHOUT A LICENSE. EC INFORMED US OF NAMES OF VESSELS WITH PERMITS ON AUGUST 12. THERE WERE INEVITABLE DELAYS IN THE TRANSMITTAL OF THIS INFORMATION WITHIN THE USG AND THEN FROM THE OWNERS OF THE VESSELS TO THE MASTERS OF THE VESSELS. USEC UNCLASSIFIED

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SHOULD ASK EC OFFICIALS TO TAKE INTO ACCOUNT THE RELATIVELY SHORT NOTICE BEFORE THE SEIZURE IN THE CURRENT LEGAL PROCEEDINGS INVOLVING THE VESSEL AND ITS MASTERS. VANCE

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